

For your notes

Time for personal reflection and confession.

When we have adorned ourselves with worry
rather than joy or failed to be gentle, knowing
you are near,

Lord, have mercy.

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ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Praise be to God, our sins are forgiven.

God's steadfast love endures forever.

Praise God!

Celebration of Holy Communion

*Hymn "SOFTLY AND TENDERLY" p. 348

*Benediction

Postlude

The Parable of the Wedding Feast



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Gathering

Words of Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Call to Worship

- L.** Beloved, God's never-ending love spills out all around us, drawing us together in beloved community with God, neighbor, and all creation.
- C. Rejoice in the Lord always and again we say, rejoice!**
- L.** God's always-present grace surrounds us, enlivening us to love ourselves and our neighbors just as Christ loves us.
- C. Rejoice in the Lord always, and again we say, rejoice!**
- L.** God's persistent peace sweeps through us, guarding our hearts and empowering us to live as agents of God's mercy and justice wherever we go.
- C. Rejoice in the Lord always, and again we say, rejoice!**
- L.** May our rejoicing overflow into our families, neighborhoods, and the whole earth that through our living, working, resting, and playing, God may be glorified.
- C. Rejoice in the Lord always, and again we say, rejoice!**

Prayer Concerns for Today Prayer for Today

*Hymn "IT'S ME, IT'S ME , O LORD" p. 352

Offertory

*Offertory Prayer

*Doxology

Scripture Exodus 32:1-14
Matthew 22:1-14

Liturgist
Pastor Darick

Message Pastor Darick

Prayer of Confession

God pours blessings upon us, even as we choose to go our own way. God is present and seeks to bring healing and wholeness to all. Therefore, I invite you to confess all that would separate you from God or one another. Let us pray.

When we have fashioned idols of our own desire or worshiped the temples of our own tradition,
Lord, have mercy.

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When we have denied your invitation to the banquet of love and justice or failed to extend the invitation to others,
Christ, have mercy.

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